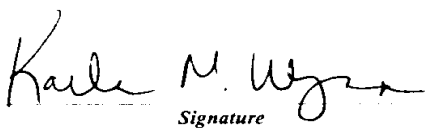


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)			Docket No. 002.00170
In Re Application Of: Alessi et al.			
Serial No. 09/937,009	Filing Date March 17, 2000	Examiner Unknown	Group Art Unit Unknown
Invention: ENZYME			
<u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>			
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>November 2, 2001</u> above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Date</div>			
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"><div><input type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"><div>from: <u>January 2, 2002</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div></div><div>until: <u>April 2, 2002</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div></div></div>			
The fee for the extension of time is \$920 and is to be paid as follows: <div style="margin-top: 5px;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</div>			
<div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Signature</div>		Dated: <u>April 2, 2002</u>	
Karla M. Weyand Braman & Rogalskyj, LLP PO Box 352 Canadaigua, New York 14424-0352 04/09/2002 MNGUYEN 00000054 09937009 01 FC:117 920.00 0P		<div style="font-size: x-small; padding: 5px;">I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.</div> <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; height: 20px; margin-top: 10px;"></div> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small; margin-top: 5px;">Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</div> <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; height: 20px; margin-top: 10px;"></div> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small; margin-top: 5px;">Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</div>	
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